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DIVISION OF ADMINISTRATION

OFFICE OF HUMAN RESOURCES

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PERSONNEL POLICY NO. 44 (Formerly DOA Policy Number 10)

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September 25, 2002

SUBJECT: Flexible Maximum Hire Rates For:

Professional Level Information System Jobs

AUTHORIZATION:

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I. POLICY:

In accordance with authority granted by the Department of State Civil Service, it is the policy of the Division of Administration to implement Flexible Maximum Hire Rates for specified professional level information systems positions on a case by case basis.

II. PURPOSE:

In most cases, the purpose behind this policy is to provide the Division a tool that allows for flexibility in pay for recruitment and retention purposes.

III. APPLICABILITY:

This policy shall be applicable to those sections within DOA, to include ancillary agencies, which utilize professional level information systems positions.

IV. PROCEDURE:

In order for a position to be considered under this policy, each Section Head will be responsible for submitting a *Request for Personnel Action* form to the Appointing Authority for his/her approval. Additionally, a memorandum should be attached to the *Request for Personnel Action* form detailing the reasons for the request.

V. QUESTIONS:

Any questions regarding this policy should be directed to the Appointing Authority.

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Addendum to DOA Personnel Policy # 44, for the Implementation of Flexible Maximum Hire Rates for professional level Information Services jobs:

On January 7, 1998 the Civil Service Commission approved Flexible Maximum Hire Rates for all professional level information systems jobs:

<u>GS</u>	Monthly Flexible Maximum Hire Rate Authorized		
13	\$2329		
14	\$2492		
15	\$2667		
16	\$2853		
17	\$3053		
18	\$3267		
19	\$3495		
20	\$3740		
21	\$4002		
22	\$4282		
23	\$4582		
24	\$4902		
25	\$5246		
26	\$5613		
27	\$6006		
28	\$6426		
29	\$6876		

As a recruiting and retention tool the Division has stated in its policy that implementation of the Flexible Maximum Hire Rates will be considered on a case-by-case basis. At this time the Appointing Authority has elected to apply these rates to the following positions based on their unique duties and responsibilities and their importance to the Division:

Position #	Title	GS	Monthly Rate	Effective Date
50311905	I/T Statewide Project Ldr.	27	\$6006	7/9/01
208	IT Technical Support Spec. 1	19	\$2839	9/25/02